

Suppose it is just as well
not to feel anxious. Liggett
Brown's Father and Mother
will be out sometime next
month. The O. Semipalat
about the 20, or 21, of this.

Papa goes next week up to Papa
and Petaluma and on his
return I shall go down to
see Auntie before she has a
house full, sometime during
week after next you may expect
to see me but I do not suppose
I can stay very long.
I don't see how I can be away
from home more than a
week and I shall be obliged
to give several days to shopping
in the City, then Auntie
must have some time and
you shall have some too.
What does will be best for
me to spend with you. Please
say in your letter next week
so I may plan. I guess you don't
want your old fashioned
Mother to parade round there
very much. Charlie writes
that he has seen a regular Indian
dance, put up in style, Did
you write to him about going
to see Booth. He would be
interested. Papa has his
first order for trees. You
can't think how nice the

clerk's are up at the
new house, the glass
house is to be put
right up.
Alo the
trolleys.

Yours
Maurice.

I think from the contents
of your last that your club
arrangements are not quite
satisfactory. It would seem
as nearly as I can make out
that your expenses are at the
rate of 20 instead of \$15 per ^{month}.
Of course I cannot tell exactly
for you say they have been
buying in groceries. Now if
they have bought groceries
by wholesale it may easily
come out that the average
for the term will be quite
as low as you expected.

Then too you say you have
spent \$70, since you went
down. I suppose you bought
most of the books that you will

need for the year and that
will not have to be done over
again. At any rate I suppose
there is no help for it, and
that you expected to spend
your money, but I feel very
sorry if you are going to
be obliged to spend it any
faster than necessary.

Will you get any compensation
for your services ~~as~~ librarian?
Papa was down at the City this
week, said Jessie was reading
up Julius Caesar preparatory
to attending Sat. afternoon
with Aunt Jane to see it
performed by Booth. They
tend to go down there, but
Jane writes "We think him
a pretty nice boy" and Uncle
has spoken twice three times
of how well pleased they are

with him. I've written
faithfully every week and
seems content.

I had a letter from Aunt Jamie
today with the rather strange
remark that the Oliver Sunfords
were coming out and bringing
with them a wife for Hall.
Hall is to come up and meet
them and there will probably
be a wedding at Auntie's.

The young lady is a Miss. Fanny
Eagar. Auntie does not
explain and I am quite at
a loss to know who did the
courting as Hall has not
been East. Still it is possible
that the young lady has been
out at San Diego. I am
wary that Auntie is to have
it all to go through with
but as I cannot help it, I